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### COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

### STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, MAY 9, 2001

APPLICATION OF

CAMBRIAN COMMUNICATIONS OF VIRGINIA LLC

CASE NO. PUC010017

For certificates of public convenience and necessity to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services

## FINAL ORDER

On January 22, 2001, Cambrian Communications of Virginia LLC ("Cambrian" or the "Company") filed an application for certificates of public convenience and necessity with the State Corporation Commission ("Commission") to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services throughout the Commonwealth of Virginia. The Company also requested authority to price its interexchange telecommunications services on a competitive basis pursuant to § 56-481.1 of the Code of Virginia.

By Order dated March 1, 2001, the Commission directed the Company to provide notice to the public of its application, directed the Commission Staff to conduct an investigation and file a Staff Report, and scheduled a public hearing to receive evidence relevant to Cambrian's application. On April 23, 2001,

Cambrian filed proof of publication and proof of service as required by the March 1, 2001, Order.

On April 18, 2001, the Staff filed its Report finding that Cambrian's application was in compliance with the Rules Governing the Offering of Competitive Local Exchange Telephone Service ("Local Rules") and the Rules Governing the Certification of Interexchange Carriers ("IXC Rules"). upon its review of Cambrian's application, the Staff determined it would be appropriate to grant the Company certificates to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services subject to two conditions. First, should the Company collect customer deposits, Cambrian shall establish and maintain an escrow account, held by an unaffiliated third party, for such funds and shall notify the Division of Economics and Finance of the escrow arrangement. Any escrow arrangement established by Cambrian shall be maintained for such time as the Staff or Commission determines is necessary. Second, the Company shall provide audited financial statements for its parent, Cambrian Communications, LLC, to the Division of Economics and Finance no later than one (1) year from the effective date of Cambrian's initial tariff.

A hearing was conducted on April 25, 2001. At the hearing, the application and accompanying attachments and the Staff Report were entered into the record without objection. No public witnesses appeared.

NOW THE COMMISSION, having considered the application and the Staff Report, finds that the Company should be granted certificates to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services. Having considered § 56-481.1, the Commission further finds that the Company may price its interexchange telecommunications services competitively.

# Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- (1) Cambrian Communications of Virginia LLC is hereby granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity, No. TT-150A, to provide interexchange telecommunications services subject to the restrictions set forth in the Commission's Rules Governing the Certification of Interexchange Carriers, § 56-265.4:4 of the Code of Virginia, and the provisions of this Order.
- (2) Cambrian Communications of Virginia LLC is hereby granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity, No.

  T-555, to provide local exchange telecommunications services subject to the restrictions set forth in the Rules Governing the Offering of Competitive Local Exchange Telephone Service, § 56-

- 265.4:4 of the Code of Virginia, and the provisions of this Order.
- (3) Pursuant to § 56-481.1 of the Code of Virginia, the Company may price its interexchange telecommunications services competitively.
- (4) The Company shall provide tariffs to the Division of Communications that conform to all applicable Commission rules and regulations.
- (5) Should the Company collect customer deposits, Cambrian shall establish and maintain an escrow account, held by an unaffiliated third party, for such funds and shall notify the Division of Economics and Finance of the escrow arrangement.

  Any escrow arrangement established by Cambrian shall be maintained for such time as the Staff or Commission determines is necessary.
- (6) The Company shall provide audited financial statements for its parent, Cambrian Communications, LLC, to the Division of Economics and Finance no later than one (1) year from the effective date of Cambrian's initial tariff.
- (7) There being nothing further to come before the Commission, this case shall be dismissed and the papers filed herein placed in the file for ended causes.